## **APPENDIX 2**

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31. The rod lens array according to claim 26, wherein each of the rod lens has a center-line-average roughness of  $0.5~\mu m$  -  $2.0~\mu m$  on the peripheral surface.

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32. The rod lens array according to claim 27, wherein each of the rod lens has a center-line-average roughness of  $0.5~\mu m$  -  $2.0~\mu m$  on the peripheral surface.

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35. The rod lens areay according to claim 34, wherein a frame is fixed to at least one of two outer surfaces of said resin portion that are opposite in a thickness direction of the array.

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